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Re: West Lake Landfill Superfund Site,

Operable Unit No. 2; CERCLA Docket No. VII-94-F-0025

Gentlemen:

This letter provides notice to the Environmental Protection Agency, Region VII ("EPA"), that effective December 31, 1997, Laidlaw Waste Systems (Bridgeton), Inc. ("LWSB") merged into Bridgeton Landfill LLC ("Bridgeton Landfill") pursuant to Mo. Rev. Stat. §§ 347.710 and 347.735. Missouri law provides that the surviving entity assumes all the rights, privileges, immunities, powers, liabilities, and obligations of the merged entity. Mo. Rev. Stat. § 347.730. Therefore, the Bridgeton Landfill now is the successor to all the rights and liabilities of LWSB for purposes of the Administrative Order on Consent for the above-referenced site.

This merger took place as a result of a corporate reorganization within Allied Waste Industries based on business considerations. If you have any questions concerning the information provided in this letter, please contact me.

Sincerely,

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